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THE WAVERLY Co., World Building, N. Y., announce "Confessions of a Publisher," by John Strange Winter; also, "Memoirs of a Mother-in-law," by George R. Sims. They also announce "Jean de Kerdren," by Jeanne Schultz; a cheap edition of Haggard's "Nada the Lily," and "My Lady of the House," by Baroness Staffe, who wrote "My Lady's Dressing-Room."

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Abbott, Rev. Lyman. The evolution of Christianity. Bost., Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 1892. c. 7+258 p. D. cl., \$1.25.

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***American and English encyclopædia of law;** comp. under the editorial supervision of J. Houston Merrill. V. 18. (Part payments to powers.) Northport, N. Y., E: Thompson Co., 1892. c. 8+1006 p. O. shp., \$6.50.

American game fishes; their habits, habitat and peculiarities, how, when and where to angle for them; by W. A. Perry, ("Sillalium"), A. A. Mosher, W. H. H. Murray and others. N. Y. and Chic., Rand, McNally & Co., 1892. c. 6+580 p. il. O. cl., \$4.

Twenty-four papers generously illustrated, on the salmon, the tarpon, striped and black bass, the bluefish, the muskallonge, the brook trout, the lake, sea and Rocky Mountain trout, the pike, pickerel, perch and other American game fishes. Articles also on "The senses of fishes," "Fishing-tackle and how to make it," "Reels, their use and abuse" and "The angler's camp outfit."

Bancroft, Hubert Howe. Chronicles of the builders of the commonwealth: historical character study. V. 3-4. San Francisco, Cal., The History Co., [N. Y., Frank M. Derby, 149 Church st.,] 1892. c. '90. 8+650; 9+649 p. pors. O. cl., ea. \$4.50; leath., \$5.50; hf. cf., hf. rus. or hf. mor., \$8; rus., mor. or tree cf., \$10.

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Barrie, J. M. A window in Thrums. N. Y., Lovell, Coryell & Co., [1892.] 5-234 p. D. cl., \$1.

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Barrie, J. M. A window in Thrums. N. Y., Lovell, Coryell & Co., [1892.] 4-234 p. D. (Belmore ser., no. 1.) pap., 50 c.

Bishop, W. H. The yellow snake: a story of treasure. N. Y., Lovell, Coryell & Co., [1892.] c. '88, '91. 3-274 p. D. (Lovell's ser. of American novels, no. 7.) pap., 50 c.

Braddon, Miss M. E., [now Mrs. J. Maxwell.] The fatal marriage. Phil., Crawford &

Co., [1892.] 204 p. D. (Popular ser. of choice novels.) pap., 25 c.

Catalogue of an exhibition of illuminated and painted manuscripts, together with a few early printed books with illuminations; [also,] some examples of Persian manuscripts; with plates in fac simile and an introductory essay. N. Y., The Grolier Club, 1892. c. 28+64 p. il. O. cl., \$5.

Claretie, Jules. All for Jack. N. Y. and Chic., Rand, McNally & Co., 1892. c. 2-293 p. D. (Rialto ser., no. 43.) pap., 50 c.

Depicts the intense love of a poor, unlettered man for his only son, a little boy of five years. To make him rich he assumes the crime of another, confessing to having committed a murder, silently suffering death. The scenes and characters are French.

Clark, F. E., D.D., comp. Looking out on life: a book for girls: on practical subjects based on many letters from wise mothers. Bost., D. Lothrop Co., [1892.] 2-173 p. D. cl., 75 c.

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***Clarke, Mary Lamson, comp.** Cooking for the sick and convalescent: a handbook. Milwaukee, Wis., Des Forges & Co., 1892. 39 p. 12", pap., 25 c.

Dante Alighieri. The divine comedy. V. 3, Paradise; tr. by C. Eliot Norton. Bost., Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 1892. c. 10+215 p. D. cl., \$1.25.

See notice under Pt. 1, "Weekly Record," P. W., Oct. 17, '91, [1029.]

***Darrow, E. N.** Treatise on mortgage investments, applicable to investments generally in farm and city property mortgages, [etc.] [Minneapolis.] The W. A. Edwards Pr. Co., 1892. c. 10+50 p. D. pap., \$1.

Daudet, Alphonse. The battle of love, (*La lutte*): a realistic novel of ruthless ambition; tr. by H. Llewellyn Williams. Chic., Donohue, Henneberry & Co., 1892. c. 5-278 p. il. D. (Optimus ser., no. 19.) pap., 50 c.

The hero, Paul Astier, a French Academician, is about to end his life by throwing himself in the Seine, when his purpose is arrested in trying to save a young woman from the death he tried to believe he courted. This incident puts a new and interesting construction on a story of love, and the questionable action of a man eager for political honors, and is a means of demonstrating a point made in the novel, that every man is rewarded according to his works, be they vicious or virtuous.

Dawson, W. J. The church of to-morrow: addresses delivered in the United States

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and Canada during the autumn of 1891. N. Y., Hunt & Eaton, 1892. c. 338 p. D. cl., \$1.

Eleven addresses, entitled, On Catholicity; Nehush-tan, a study in iconoclasm; The failure of the supernatural as a means of conversion; Heroic doubt; The candor of Christ; The socialism of Jesus; The democratic Christ; National righteousness; The blessedness of womanhood; The last analysis of Christianity; Wesley and his work.

*Genone, Hudor, [*pseud.*] Inquiringo Island. 3d ed. Chic., C. H. Kerr & Co., 1892. c. '85. 5+347 p. D. (Unity lib., no. 14.) pap., 50 c.

*Gordon, Julien, [*pseud.* for Mrs. Van Rensselaer Cruger.] Marionettes. N. Y., Cassell Pub. Co., [1892.] c. 2+320 p. D. cl., \$1.

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Grinnell, Josiah Busnell. Men and events of forty years: autobiographical reminiscences of an active career, from 1850 to 1890; with intro. by H. W. Parker, D.D. Bost., D. Lothrop Co., [1892.] c. '91. 11+426 p. por. il. O. cl., \$2.50.

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*Hawthorne, Nathaniel. The scarlet letter. New il. ed. Bost., Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 1892. il. 8°, cl., \$2.

Helen Brent, M.D.: a social study. N. Y., Cassell Pub. Co., [1892.] c. 3+196 p. nar. D. cl., 75 c.

Helen Brent, M.D., has advanced theories of a woman's needs and duties. These conflict with the ideas of her suitor, Harold Seidmore, and as they are both indisposed to relinquish individual convictions, Helen decides that they are unfitted to marry; accordingly she pursues her calling, and Harold marries a society woman. In the developments of both their lives is seen the failures and successes of entirely diverse plans of life, and their separate conclusions of a social problem.

Hobbes, J. Oliver. The sinner's comedy. N. Y., Cassell Pub. Co. [1892.] c. 4+154 p. nar. D. (The unknown lib., no. 14.) cl., 50 c.

The heroine, a Bohemian and an artist, was the wife of George Christian, a dissolute actor, when she met and fancied herself in love with an English peer; after a rude awakening, an episode with the Bishop of Gaunt ends a story which has both tragic and comic effects.

*Holland, H. Scott. Sermons. N. Y., T. Whittaker, 1892. 188 p. 12°, (Contemporary pulpit lib.) cl., \$1.

Homoeopathic treatment of the "incurable" diseases of beast and fowl. Phil., Boericke & Tafel, 1892. 4-30 p. D. pap., 25 c.

A reprint of James Moore's pamphlet on the treatment of pleuro-pneumonia in cattle, with which there are included papers on the treatment and symptoms of rinderpest, or the Texas fever; glanders; tuberculosis; roup, and chicken and hog cholera.

Hudson, W. C. On the rack: a novel. N. Y., Cassell Pub. Co., [1892.] c. '91. 4+283 p.

D. (Cassell's sunshine ser., no. 106.) cl., 75 c.; pap., 50 c.

The scene is New York. Immediately after a violent quarrel between Clarence Fellows and Frank Pemberton the former is supposed to have been murdered on Twentieth st. Pemberton is arrested on circumstantial evidence, and the developments of his case, with a rather harsh experience, a late revelation and a romance make the substance of a novel, in which a young journalist has quite a prominent part.

*Hutton, A. W. Cardinal Manning. Bost., Houghton, Mifflin & Co., 1892. 12°, (Religious leaders ser.) cl., \$1.

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Irish peasant (The): a sociological study; ed. from original papers, by a guardian of the poor. N. Y., imported by C. Scribner's Sons, [1892.] 5+163 p. D. cl., \$1.

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Kimball, A. C. Exercises in French composition: based on "La belle-Nivernaise." by Alphonse Daudet: for pupils in their third or fourth year's study of French. Bost., D. C. Heath & Co., 1892. c. '91. 2+224 p. D. (Heath's modern language ser.) pap., 12 c.

*Kneippe, Rev. Sebastian. My water cure: tested for more than 35 years, and published for the cure of diseases and the preservation of health; tr. from 36th German ed. N. Y., Fr. Pustet & Co., 1892. 20+396 p. il. por. 12°, cl., net, \$1.50.

Latch, E. B. Indications of the second book of Moses, called Exodus. Phil., J. B. Lippincott Co., 1892. c. 2-350 p. D. cl., \$1.50.

In the "Indications of Exodus" the same general interpretative system is taken up and continued as that set forth in the "Review of the Holy Bible," and as given in the "Indications of Genesis" and of "Job." The text used is the Bible as issued by the American Bible Society, New York.

Le Sage, Alain René. The adventures of Gil Blas of Santillane. Pt. 1; from the French by Tobias Smollett. N. Y., Worthington Co., 1892. 6-398 p. il. D. (Rose lib., no. 14.) cl., \$1; pap., 50 c.

Lewis, Mrs. Harriet. Cecil Rosse: a sequel to "Edith Trevor's secret;" a novel; il. by Warren B. Davis. N. Y., Rob. Bonner's Sons, [1892.] c. '77, '92. 6-370 p. D. (Choice ser., no. 60.) cl., \$1; pap., 50 c.

The first novel, "Edith Trevor's secret," ends with the mysterious disappearance of Cecil Rosse. In this one her whereabouts is discovered, and the sensational facts of her imprisonment are brought out. Lady Edith is also seen, but at a disadvantage, and her secret is disclosed. The final scene is Zurich.

*Lock, C. G. Warnford. Miner's pocket-book: a reference-book for miners, mine surveyors, geologists, mineralogists, millmen, assayers and metal merchants all over the

world. N. Y., Spon & Chamberlain, 1892. 472 p. il. 16", flex. leath., \$5.

MacCabe, J. A. Hints for language lessons and plans for grammar lessons: a hand-book for teachers. Bost., Ginn & Co., 1892. c. 3+58 p. D. cl., 35 c.

These hints and plans are part of the author's instructions in "Method," as given to the students of the Ottawa Normal School. They are intended as rudimentary language lessons which the teacher may develop or improve.

***Magee, W.**, (*Abp.*) Christ the light of all scripture. N. Y., T: Whittaker, 1892. 344 p. 8", cl., \$1.75.

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Marbot, Marcellin de, (Baron.) Memoirs of Baron de Marbot, late lieutenant-general in the French army; from the French, by Arthur J. Butler. N. Y., Longmans, Green & Co., 1892. 2 v., 8+452; 2+472 p. il. pors. maps, O. cl., \$6.

"Baron de Marbot's memoirs are truly characterized by the translator as in some respects the most interesting book that has appeared in France for a generation. Of their authenticity there is no question. They relate with frank and soldierly simplicity the principal events in a life literally crowded with adventure and vicissitude. Entering upon a military career at the age of seventeen, under the Directory, Marbot was aide-de-camp, first to Massena, then to Lannes, then to other marshals, until after years of fighting in Italy, in Spain, in Germany, he obtained his colonelcy and the command of a fine regiment, the 23d Mounted Chasseurs, which he raised to a very high degree of efficiency, and with which he performed many gallant feats of arms. He was present at Austerlitz, at Jena, at Leipzig, and finally at Waterloo. He seems to have been wounded in nearly every battle, and his hairbreadth escapes were numerous."—*New York Tribune*.

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Miller, Emily Huntington. Helps and hindrances. N. Y., Hunt & Eaton, 1892. c. 52 p. D. pap., 20 c.

Five papers entitled: Weights or whigs; The amusement question; Leading in prayer; Speaking to edification; Growth in grace.

***Milwaukee elite directory:** society and club lists, 1891-92: Milwaukee, Wis., Des Forges & Co., 1892. 246 p. 12", cl., \$2.

***Missouri. St. Louis and Kansas City cts. of appeal.** Cases determined from Apr. 27 to May 25, 1891, and from May 25 to Nov., 1891; rep. by David Goldsmith and B: Eli Guthrie, off. rep. V. 45, 46. Columbia, Mo., E. W. Stephens, 1892. c. 20+735+16; 19+758+16 p. O. shp., ea., \$5.

***Moore, Aubrey L.** From Advent to Advent: sermons preached at the Chapel Royal, Whitehall. N. Y., T: Whittaker, 1892. 288 p. 12", cl., \$1.50.

***New York.** Civil procedure reports. V. 18-21: cont. cases under the code of civil procedure and general practice; rep. with notes by H. H. Browne, with references to

the sections of the code of civil procedure construed or cited in the opinions contained in New York rep., v. 115-128; Hun's rep., v. 54-61; N. Y. superior ct. rep., 58. N. Y., S. S. Peloubet, 1890-92. c. O. shp., ea., \$4.

***New York. Court of appeals.** Reports of cases from, and including decisions of, Dec. 1, 1891, to and including decisions of Jan. 20, 1892, with notes, references and index. By H. E. Sickels, st. rep. V. 129. Alb., Ja. B. Lyon, 1892. c. 19+775 p. O. shp., \$2.50.

Ottley, H: Bickersteth. The great dilemma: Christ his own witness or his own accuser. *New ed.* N. Y., American Tract Soc., [1892.] c. 3-232 p. D. cl., \$1.

The present work is a general revision as to notes and text of a series of lectures in which there is an endeavor to solve a Christian problem by elucidating the great dilemma that the author claims is involved in answers to questions suggested by the tragedy of Calvary.

Parsons, Eugene. Tennyson's life and poetry, and mistakes concerning Tennyson. Chic., Ill., printed for the author by The Craig Press, [1892.] c. 30 p. O. pap., 15 c.

A brief biographical sketch which gives a survey of Tennyson's literary career. The author claims that while consulting periodicals and works of reference for data relating to the subject, he discovered much of the information about Tennyson was erroneous. Hence a paper attempting to correct and expose these errors.

Peeke, Mrs. Margaret B. Born of flame: a Rosicrucian story. Phil., J. B. Lippincott Co., 1892. c. 2-299 p. D. cl., \$1.25.

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***Pennsylvania. Supreme ct.** Reports, v. 144, by Boyd Crumrine, st. rep. V. 14, cont. cases decided at Jan. term and Oct. term, 1891, and Jan. term, 1892. N. Y. and Alb., Banks & Bros., 1892. c. 26+697 p. O. shp., \$3.50.

Phelps, Elizabeth Stuart, [now Mrs. Herbert D. Ward,] and Ward, Herbert D. The master of the magicians. Bost., Houghton, Mifflin & Co., [1892.] c. 90. 3+324 p. D. (Riverside pap. ser., no. 46.) pap., 50 c.

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Rand, E: A. A knight that smote the dragon; or, the young people's Gough. N. Y., Hunt & Eaton, 1892. c. 189 p. por. D. cl., 90 c.

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- ***Schopenhauer, Arthur.** Select essays; tr. by G. Droppers and C. A. P. Dachsel. Milwaukee, Wis., Des Forges & Co., 1892. 178 p. 12°, cl., \$1.
- Seminarian's** manual for vacation, by a director of a seminary [St. Sulpice, France]; tr. [from the French.] 2d rev. ed. Balt., Md., McCauley & Kilner, [1892.] 8+503 p. Tt. cl., net, 50 c.; cf., net, 75 c.
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- ***Texas. Supreme ct.** Reports during the latter part of the Austin term, 1891, and the first part of the Tyler term, 1891; rep. by A. S. Walker, Sr. V. 81. [Galveston, Clarke & Courts, prs.,] 1892. c. 16+754 p. O. shp., \$5.
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- Valera, Juan.** Don Braulio; from the Spanish of *Pasarse de Listo*, by Clara Bell. N. Y., Appleton, 1892. c. 2+244 p. D. (Appleton's town and country lib., no. 92.) cl., \$1; pap., 50 c.
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- ***West Virginia. Supreme ct. of appeals.** Reports of cases at the spring-special, June, Sept. and Fall-special terms, 1891; by Alfred Caldwell, ex-off. rep. V. 35. Charleston, Butler Fr. Co., 1892. c. 30+783+44 p. O. shp., \$4.50.
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Redgrave, G. R. A history of water-color painting in England. Post 8°, 276 p., 5s. (Art text-books.) <i>Low</i>	
Roberts, C. The Canadian guide-book: the tourist's and sportsman's guide to Eastern Canada and Newfoundland, including full descriptions of routes, cities, points of interest, summer resorts, fishing-places, etc., in Eastern Ontario, the Muskoka district, the St. Lawrence region, the Lake St. John country, the Maritime Provinces, Prince Edward Island and Newfoundland. With an appendix giving fish and game laws, and official lists of trout and salmon rivers and their lessees. Post 8°, 270 p., 6s. <i>Heinemann</i>	
Sala, Mrs. G. A. Famous people I have met. With fac simile letters. Post 8°, 234 p., 6s. <i>Osgood</i>	

WORLD'S FAIR NOTES.

FIFTY-FIVE of the counties in Illinois have been organized for Exposition work by the women members of the State World's Fair Board. The women of Sangamon County expect to prepare a handsome volume, to be known as the "Lincoln souvenir," to sell at the Fair. It will embrace a history of Sangamon County, and include, in addition, a story of Lincoln's social life. The book will be embellished by women artists. The women of Jo Daviess County expect to prepare a similar volume in regard to General Grant. In Stevenson County they are talking of writing a history of the Black Hawk War. In Lawrence County the women claim to have discovered the original manuscript of "The Pilgrim's Progress." They are investigating the authenticity of the find, with a view to taking the manuscript to the Fair.

BUSINESS NOTES.

BATTLE CREEK, MICH.—Robert Payne, bookseller, has sold out.

FORT WORTH, TEX.—J. S. Carruthers, bookseller, has sold out.

MACON, GA.—Charles C. Holt, bookseller and stationer, has moved into a new and much larger building, and is now prepared to care for his patrons better than ever. Mr. Holt's business has grown rapidly during the past six years, a fact which is due to his intelligent and persistent energy.

NEWPORT NEWS, VA.—D. J. Logan, Jr., has opened a fine book and stationery store here. He requests publishers to send him their latest lists, and desires commercial travellers to call on him when in town.

NEW YORK CITY.—James T. White & Co., publishers, have removed to 5 and 7 East 16th Street.

NEW YORK CITY.—Wm. J. Kelly has opened a store at 26 University Place.

NEW YORK CITY.—The Waverly Company, publishers, have removed to the World Building.

NEW YORK CITY.—The Humboldt Publishing Company has acquired the title of the *Twentieth Century*, and J. Fitzgerald assumes the editorship in chief, with J. W. Sullivan as assistant.

NEW YORK CITY.—As already stated, the Frederick A. Stokes Company have removed their business to 27 and 29 West Twenty-third Street, where they have quarters in the same building with G. P. Putnam's Sons, and Henry Holt & Co., E. P. Dutton & Co. and G. W. Dillingham are in the building next to this. It is their intention to extend their publishing and importing business. They have also the publication of a periodical in view.

ST. PAUL, MINN.—The Northwestern Book House has made an assignment to Thos. S. Tompkins.

TORONTO, CANADA.—Hart & Riddell have succeeded the old firm of Hart & Co., A. K. Roy retiring. Matthew Riddell, the new partner, was formerly director of the firm of William Collins' Sons, of Glasgow.

PICK-UPS.

A YOUNG woman tripped into a Baltimore bookstore recently, and asked for "Twice Blessed." The astute clerk looked through his catalogue in vain, and on a venture wrapped up "The Quality of Mercy" for her. She never knew the difference.

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The editor does not hold himself responsible for the views expressed in contributed articles or communications. All matter, whether for the reading-matter columns or our advertising pages, should reach this office not later than Wednesday noon, to insure insertion in the same week's issue.

Books for the "Weekly Record," as well as all information intended for that department, must reach us by Tuesday morning of each week.

In case of business changes, notification or card should be immediately sent to this office for entry under "Business Notes." New catalogues issued will also be mentioned when forwarded.

Publishers are requested to furnish title-page proofs and advance information of books forthcoming, both for entry in the lists and for descriptive mention. An early copy of each book published should be forwarded, as it is of the utmost importance that the entries of books be made as promptly and as perfectly as possible. In many cases booksellers depend on the WEEKLY solely for their information. The next important reason is that the Record of New Publications of THE PUBLISHERS' WEEKLY forms the basis of "The American Catalogue" and so the basis of all trade bibliography in the United States.

"Every man is a debtor to his profession, from the which, as men do of course seek to receive countenance and profit, so ought they of duty to endeavor themselves by way of amends to be a help thereunto."—LORD BACON.

THE PROFESSION OF BOOKSELLING. XI.

BUYING STOCK.—II.

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THE buyer of a large or even a small retail store, therefore, as already pointed out, must be a person of rare parts. He must be well posted in the business, of calm and ready judgment, not easily influenced, and capable of giving an order for hundreds or an order for none. If he buys too much his shelves will soon be filled with stock out of fashion and out of season, and as a rule his firm will be short of money and behind with its bills simply for this reason. If he buys too little he is in danger of losing custom by not keeping a sufficient supply on hand to meet the current wants of his customers. Over-cautiousness in this direction is almost as bad as over-buying, as it often gives his competitor the means of supplying his regular customers. In short, then, upon the buyer depends, in a degree, the success or failure of the business.

He must study most carefully the nature of his trade and cater to it accordingly. At the same time he must be prepared to lay in stock not usually carried, but which may tend to draw other custom. The constant temptation, of course, is to over-buy, and it should therefore be guarded against. Giving way to the inducement of an extra "five" or "ten" on quantities

is a pitfall into which the buyer must not permit himself to be drawn. Indeed, he might better not entertain such offers at all unless he is reasonably certain of being able to dispose of the stock without much effort. By buying quantities for the sake of the discount one is invariably left in an uneasy frame of mind for fear that they will not sell; for if they do not go off readily it requires the extra and united effort of all concerned to work them off—very often to the neglect of the other stock, which in the meantime is daily growing older and in danger of being supplanted by the newcomers. A book is a book in New York and in San Francisco. If it falls flat in the one city there is little hope of getting rid of it in the other. Dry-goods out of fashion in New York may readily be disposed of in other parts of the country at but small sacrifice. Not so with books. Remainders are very hard to dispose of.

A retailer should buy to his absolute wants and not more. He can easily purchase more when it is wanted. A single copy may often suffice. It is better and, indeed, should be the rule, to have variety rather than quantity. Locality must decide the choice. Those in or near large centres like New York, Boston, Philadelphia, or Chicago, the headquarters and depots of the principal publishing houses, are practically independent in the matter of buying. It is easy enough for them in most cases to order and receive the book wanted on the same day, with little or no extra expense. The bookseller at a distance from these centres must consider time and the cost of carriage, as postage and express charges if carelessly regarded would quickly absorb all his profits. He is obliged to keep up his stock with greater care than those nearer the sources of supply. Orders for books not in stock must be held until enough have accumulated to make up an express package. This may cause delay, but it is inevitable owing to the situation.

A buyer should have his stock well in hand at all times. The order clerk should report to him daily the books sold, and he must personally watch the movement of the stock. Upon him rests the responsibility of determining which of the stock it is desirable to replace, and which to let run out altogether and procure only on order. As in most cases he is restricted to doing the largest volume of business possible on the smallest amount of stock, the difficulty of his situation will be easily recognized. But the situation can really only be appreciated by those upon whom this difficult duty devolves. Surely the Presbyterian doctrine of "You'll be damned if you do, you'll be damned if you don't," applies to the buyer if it does to any one, because he is apt to suffer from every side. He must

expect criticism if a book that is called for is not in stock, as well as when he is caught with a line of books that, unfortunately, will not budge from the shelves. In one case he certainly ought to have known that the book would be wanted, in the other his judgment will as surely be railed at. The entire establishment from the head of the firm to the door-boy are his self-appointed critics, and there is not one of them who does not imagine he could do very much better in the place. He must become accustomed to the pained expression of countenance and the injured tone of the clerks when he is confronted with the inquiry, "How is it that we are out of Balzac's 'Lily of the Valley'?" or, with the announcement that there isn't a copy left of "Rock the Cradle Gently."

The buyer's most trying time is that in which he goes over his order slips. Here is, for instance, "——," an excellent book, but there have been but few calls for it lately. It is published by Blank & Co. If in New York, where the publishers have their publishing house, it can easily be had on order. If out of town it may be had of the jobbers or it may have to be telegraphed for, or ordered through the mails. Then the question confronts him: "Shall I put it in stock or not?" Probably he passes it and takes the chances that there will be no further call for the book—at any rate, not a pressing one. If he decides to the contrary, How many? Same as on previous order, twenty-five copies? or only ten, or five? In coming to a conclusion in such a matter the following points may help in the decision: the nature of the book, its timeliness, the likelihood of a continued public demand after the first few months of publication, and the general standing of the author. No fixed rule can be laid down as a guide, for very often every one of the points that seemed in favor of the book have proven chimerical. It is, then, simply a question of arbitrary judgment, and probably no two persons would agree on the same point. Each must, therefore, decide for himself.

It would probably be a safe course to keep in stock a full line of certain standard authors, say one set—by standard, in this case, we do not, of course, mean such as Bulwer, Thackeray, etc.—and one or two of say a couple of lesser-known authors who have written four or five books. The reason for this is that when a certain book is called for and you do not have it, the fact that you have others by the same author in stock will make your excuse, "We are just out of it," seem reasonable enough. Our sympathies are with every buyer in the land, for he has a difficult and troublesome, nay, thankless duty to perform.

(To be continued.)

MEMORIES OF WASHINGTON BOOKSTORES.

BY JOHN F. COYLE.*

THE first memory of bookstores I have were of Davis & Force, Pishey Thompson, John Kennedy and James Riordan, and succeeding Pishey Thompson was Franck Taylor, whose store for years was the resort of the most distinguished men of the day. Those who remember Mr. Fox, the British Minister, whose eccentricities made him an object of interest, will recall him as a daily visitor to Franck Taylor's bookstore. Mr. Packenham, Sir John Crampton, who succeeded him, Mr. Webster, Mr. Clay, Robert Toombs, Gen. Jessup, Mr. Corcoran, Admiral Morris, Com. Matthew P. Maury and his cousin John W. Maury, Senator Benjamin, Albert Pike, Gen. Scott, Jefferson Davis, Charles Sumner, Robert C. Winthrop, Senators Badger and Mangum of North Carolina, Thomas Ewing, Reverdy Johnson, George W. Riggs, Col. Benton and Humphrey Marshall were among the many who almost daily visited the store. Of our own citizens James M. Carlisle, Joseph H. and Wm. A. Bradley, Mr. Gales, Mr. Seaton and Mr. Blair will be remembered. Mr. Rob't Beall, who may be regarded as the successor of Franck Taylor, "whose heart's in his vocation," was brought up in that well-remembered store, and is now the oldest bookseller in the city. Mr. Beall's memory is stored with incidents of those magnates of a past when giants abounded in public life. Mr. Beall relates an incident of Col. Benton coming in the store and asking for a Latin grammar, and at that day "Bullion's" was the grammar, and it was handed him. The name struck the Senator, who laughed and said: "Why, they call me 'Old Bullion,' and they'll say I wrote this grammar."

Mr. Beall says Webster was a great buyer of books, but payment for them was always delayed. Gen. Scott was a bookbuyer and great reader, and Gen. Jessup was another. He has heard Gen. Jessup tell of Lundy's Lane and the battles of that day, when he said they had met Wellington's best troops. The gossip, literary and political, which was indulged in by these distinguished visitors would, if recorded, make a most interesting volume. It makes us regret it was before the days of the phonograph. The palmy days of the bookbuyers and booksellers have not gone by, for passing the bookstores which line the avenue they seem to be always more or less crowded.

The difference seems to me to be that in the days I write of the bookstore was a resort and an intellectual exchange. Mr. Taylor was an encyclopædia of books and a man of intellectual force. Mr. Beall tells me there are the same class of bookbuyers who frequent his store, and he presumes that of others, who buy with knowledge, and when they find what they want are not deterred by the price. In a recent visit to London, Mr. Beall purchased some rare books, and when we looked at the condition of them and the date of their publication they exemplified how books outlive their many owners. Here is "Colley Gibber's Apology," 1750; Thomas Hobbes' "Peloponnesian Warre," 1629; "Works of Charles I.," 1687, and others. Among the liberal buyers of books of the present day, Mr. Beall says, is Senator Hoar, of Massachusetts, whose library is one of the best in the city.

* In the Washington (D. C.) *Evening Star*.

Mr. Beall relates an incident of Humphrey Marshall, who was a constant visitor at Taylor's bookstore in the antebellum days. One evening he borrowed of Mr. Taylor \$300, and went into the faro-bank of Goode & Prindle, next door to Taylor's store, and won \$1000, which he spent next day in books. From Franck Taylor's bookstore have graduated some of our most public-spirited citizens; Mr. C. C. Glover, of Riggs & Co., and others, and Mr. Beall, despite his devotion to books, has become largely interested in the city railroads as director and stockholder.

The old stand at the corner of 11th Street was where for many years the late Rob't Farnham, and after him Blanchard & Mohun, kept a bookstore. The old house of Morrison & Co., was for years on the avenue near 4½ Street, and is still carried on by one of the younger members of the family. I say younger, but I speak of the old house as I knew it so well forty years ago. One of Washington's old bookstores is that of Ballantyne. The name recalls Walter Scott's printer, and, as the elder Mr. Ballantyne is a native of Scotland, there may be a relationship. I can recall Mr. Ballantyne and his store for a good many years. The founder of the house of Brentano I remember away back in the early fifties, when he kept a news-stand in a basement on Broadway, near Bleecker Street in New York City. He began life under the serious disadvantage of a lameness which would have rendered a man of less enterprise almost helpless, but his energy made amends for that drawback, and he grew into wealth as years advanced, and died leaving his name associated with literature and its productions. The second-hand bookstores here are quite numerous, one of which contains a collection not surpassed by those of New York. Washington, since I first remember, has been a market for books. The private libraries to be found here and the governmental patronage have made the fortunes of several of our booksellers in the past, and those of the present day will doubtless follow the example of their predecessors. All this long story of books demonstrates that the people of Washington are a reading people.

TROUBLE IN THE SCHOOL-BOOK TRADE IN MISSOURI.

THE Missouri booksellers who handle school-books claim that under the new school text-book law and the contracts awarded by the Commission, their profits on sales are materially reduced, while those of the publishers having the contracts are increased. They held a secret meeting in St. Louis on the 18th inst., which is said to have been an important one to those interested. It was reported that resolutions were offered under which the book-dealers of Missouri intend to bring suit against E. H. Butler & Co., of Philadelphia, for failing or refusing to comply with the contract made with the dealers. This house was awarded the contract for furnishing the new geographies to be used in the Missouri public schools. In the contract made with the Commission it was stipulated, according to the bill as passed, that the publisher shall relieve the dealer of his "merchantable shelf stock." Butler & Co., it is alleged, assert that the geographies now on the shelves of the Missouri book-dealers are not "merchantable," as they do not contain the census of the year 1890, the new States of Washington, Idaho, Wyoming and the Dakotas.

The dealers, on the other hand, claim that the

stock is "merchantable." It is admitted that the books are sold cheaper to school patrons, but they cost the bookseller more money, and as they are only allowed 10 per cent. for handling them, they lose 5 per cent. on the investment, while the publishers are getting better prices than in former years. Ugly charges are being made about members of the Commission being influenced in making publishing contracts by money considerations, etc.

COPYRIGHT IN PHOTOGRAPHS.

THE suit brought by photographer Falk, of New York, against Schumacher & Ettlinger for infringement of copyright by distributing lithographs of a copyrighted photograph of Lillian Russell, was decided on April 14. The jury awarded \$2500 damages to Mr. Falk. The case was tried before Judge Wallace in the Circuit Court for the Southern District of New York. The principal claim of the defence was that although the photograph from which the lithographs were made was in every respect similar to the copyrighted photograph, it was not inscribed with notice of copyright nor any information that copyright had been obtained. In his charge to the jury Judge Wallace cited Sec. 4965 of the Revised Statutes, on which the suit was founded, and dwelt upon this point, emphasizing the necessity of notice of copyright, but stating that even if the lithograph was actually made from the photograph produced by the defence, the copyright was not invalidated unless the jury believed that the inscribed notice of copyright was illegible when the photograph left the plaintiff's establishment.

The statutory penalty for the offence is forfeiture of the plates, and payment of one dollar for every sheet of the pirated reprint in possession of the infringing party. According to the evidence 20,000 sets of the reproduction were in the possession of the defendants, and, as a number of copies were printed on a single sheet, there were about 2500 sheets on which the pictures were printed. The verdict is, therefore, for the whole penalty imposed by law.

RIVAL AUTHORS' SOCIETIES.

THE Society of American Authors, incorporated at Albany on May 4, with Will Carleton as President, as noted in the WEEKLY of May 7, and the Association of American Authors, of which Charles Burr Todd is the leading spirit, came into conflict on May 18, when Mr. Todd's association held their first meeting at Berkeley Lyceum, New York. Mr. Todd, it will be remembered, has for some time been devoting himself to the organization of an American authors' society on the lines of Mr. Besant's English association, and has succeeded in enlisting many well-known writers in his project. A call for a meeting to form a constitution and organize the society was recently sent out, signed by W. D. Howells, George W. Cable, Julian Hawthorne, James Grant Wilson, Thomas Wentworth Higginson, Charles Dudley Warner, Moncure D. Conway and Charles Burr Todd. In answer to this call twenty-eight authors and writers met in the rooms of the Genealogical and Biographical Society in the Lyceum, and Colonel T. W. Higginson was nominated for chairman. A constitution and by-laws were adopted; the name of The Association of American Authors was decided upon and various plans were discussed for improving business relations with publishers.

The discussion was interrupted by Mrs. Mary

Frost Ormsby and Mrs. Katharine Hodges, Secretary of Mr. Carleton's society. Mrs. Ormsby explained that their society was incorporated, and had been in existence since March, 1891. Will Carleton was its President. They had a membership of 200, and had had the assistance of Walter Besant, of the English Society of Authors, in forming their society. She also claimed that the general principles stated in the circular of the new organization were substantially and almost literally the same as those of the older society. Mr. Todd, she declared, the Secretary of the new organization, had obtained copies of the by-laws and constitution of the older society from its Secretary, Mrs. Katharine Hodges, without letting her know that his object was to form a new society. Several letters passed between them before that object came to light. He had plagiarized from the old society. She wished to protest, therefore, against Mr. Todd's actions.

Mr. Todd replied by stating that he had asked for the constitution and the by-laws of the American Society of Authors when making plans for the new organization, just as he had gotten the plans of the German, French and English societies. He had made no secret whatever of his plan to form a new society, and several months ago had published an article in a well-known monthly, outlining his plans. He had made inquiries and had failed to find any well-known authors, with the exception of Mr. Carleton, who even knew of the existence of the American Society of Authors.

Colonel Higginson brought the controversy to a close by stating that he was unable to see that the new organization had "plagiarized" from the old one, or that it was responsible to other societies. It was an extremely common thing for men in the same business and profession to form different societies, and there could be certainly no objection to such a course. He hoped that the two organizations would live in harmony and not in antagonism.

The new society will hold its next meeting on the first Friday in June at the Berkeley Lyceum. T. W. Higginson was elected President; Moncure D. Conway, Mrs. Julia Ward Howe and Maurice Thompson, Vice-Presidents; C. B. Todd, Secretary; and J. G. Wilson, Treasurer. The annual meeting will be held on the first Tuesday in October. After that there will be monthly meetings throughout the year, excepting in the months of June, July, August and September. The headquarters of the society are to be in this city.

ALEXANDER McNIE.

We take pleasure in presenting to our readers a portrait and biographical sketch of another active worker in the field of book-trade reform and organization. Alex. McNie, Treasurer of the Northwestern Booksellers and Newsdealers' Association, is one of the most prominent business men of Winona, Minn. He is of Scotch descent, and lost his parents while very young. When ten years old he left Edinburgh to "seek his fortune" and came to New York City, where for a year he was a newsboy. He then went to Racine, Wis., and from there, in 1861, to Winona, Minn. On reaching Winona he entered the bookstore of Charles Benson. Later the Benson business was purchased by Andrews & Son, and young McNie entered their employ. Subsequently he bought out the stock and engaged in business for himself. He was for several years



ALEXANDER McNIE,

Treasurer of Northwestern Booksellers and Newsdealers' Association.

an efficient worker in the Winona Library Association, assisted at its organization, and was one of its charter members. He took an active interest in the movement for organization of the book trade, and at the first meeting of the Northwestern Booksellers and Newsdealers' Association in St. Paul, Nov. 24, 1891, was elected to his present position, the duties of which he has since effectively discharged. We are indebted to the courtesy of Mr. Charles D. Raymer for the use of the portrait printed in connection with this sketch.

THE NETHERLANDS BOOKSELLERS' EXHIBITION.

THE NETHERLAND BOOKSELLERS' ASSOCIATION will celebrate the seventy fifth anniversary of its organization by opening an international exhibition in Amsterdam this summer. Several exhibitions have already been held by the association, but this will be the first of an international character, and it promises to be both brilliant and extensive. It will be held in the imposing Palace of Industry, and applications for space have been received by most of the foreign publishers and book-trade organizations. The Circle de la Librairie Française will display its treasures in one of the great side halls; the Cercle de la Presse Periodique will exhibit a most interesting journalistic collection; the Belgian Union of Booksellers and the Dutch Publishers' Confederacy will make important exhibitions; and the leading English and German publishers will present fine specimen of bookmaking. It is the intention of the association to preserve a lasting record of the treasures exhibited in a "Catalogue of the International Exhibition," which will be issued as a souvenir of the anniversary. The printing, bookbinding and mechanical workmanship of the catalogue will be of the highest class, and every effort will be made to make it a perfect specimen of the art of bookmaking. A competition of paper-dealers, printers and bookbinders will be opened, and bids received for the various mechanical details of the catalogue.

FOREIGN PUBLICATIONS IN AMERICA.

From the New York Sun.

... LEAVING British publications aside, French books have the greatest sale of any works in foreign tongues. The sale is more to French-speaking Americans than to French immigrants. The sale of Italian books is confined chiefly to resident Italians, and many of the most popular works are translations from the French. That is true of Spanish books, so greatly has modern French literature dominated the literatures of the other Latin nations. Many Spanish books, however, are imported for the use of Americans studying Spanish. They are chiefly grammars and the Spanish classics. The demand for works in the various languages of Central and Eastern Europe is growing steadily, and on the east side of New York City are considerable libraries in the odd lingo of many German, Austrian and Russian Hebrews. Most of these books are published at Buda-Pesth. They are very long in proportion to their width, and they have a wealth of grotesque gilding. The demand for German works is steady and increasing, not only on the part of resident Germans, but on that of Americans, who read the language. Within a few years an English house at Tokio has begun publishing odd little stories and fables from the Japanese. The books are printed on rice paper, with the original Japanese illustration in colors. They, with a few Japanese poems, have had a considerable sale in New York.

PUBLISHING SOCIETIES' ADDRESSES WANTED.

THE editor of the "American Catalogue" desires the addresses of the following societies, which the Post Office authorities have been unable to locate, and will be obliged to any bookseller who can furnish any of the addresses:

American Architectural League, New York City;
 American Colonization Society;
 American Institute of Homœopathy;
 American Instructors of the Deaf and Dumb;
 American Jersey Cattle Club;
 American Laryngological Society, New York City (?);
 American Society of Microscopists;
 American Orthopedic Association;
 American Otological Society;
 American Peace Society;
 American Pomological Society;
 American Society for Psychological Research;
 American Society of Railroad Superintendents;
 Association of American Physicians;
 Church Library Association;
 — Commandery of Ohio;
 Denison Scientific Association;
 Eclectic Medical Association;
 Iowa Society of Civil Engineers and Surveyors;
 Kansas, Bar Association of;
 Kansas State Grange;
 Lackawanna Institute of History and Science;
 — Massachusetts Commandery;
 Massachusetts Eclectic Medical Society;
 Massachusetts Society for the Promotion of Agriculture;
 National Prison Association;
 New England Agricultural Society;
 New England Association of Colleges and Preparatory Schools;

New England Education Society;
 Texas State Teachers' Association;
 Wisconsin Press Association;
 Women's Anthropological Society of America;
 Y. M. C. A. International Committee.

OBITUARY.

JAMES R. OSGOOD.

JAMES RIPLEY OSGOOD, head of the London firm of Osgood, McIlvaine & Co., and who was for thirty years closely connected with the house of Ticknor & Fields and its successors, died in London on the evening of May 18, aged fifty-six years. Mr. Osgood was born in Fryeburg, Maine, and from childhood showed remarkable literary aptitude. At the age of twelve years he had fitted himself to enter college, and in 1855, after graduating from Bowdoin, entered the publishing house of Ticknor & Fields as a clerk. In 1864 Mr. Ticknor died and his son Howard M. succeeded him in the business, taking in young Osgood as a partner. Four years later Howard Ticknor retired, and the business was carried on under the title of Fields, Osgood & Co., becoming in 1871 James R. Osgood & Co. As the publishers of the *Atlantic Monthly* and *Every Saturday*, and the works of Longfellow, Emerson, Hawthorne, Lowell, Holmes, Whittier, Mrs. Stowe, and many other American authors, besides those of Dickens and other English writers. The name of the Boston house became a household word from one end of the country to the other.

In 1878 the firm of J. R. Osgood & Co. was consolidated with that of H. O. Houghton & Co., under the name of Houghton, Osgood & Co., the partners being H. O. Houghton, James R. Osgood and George H. Mifflin. In 1880 the partnership was dissolved and the two firms of Houghton, Mifflin & Co. and James R. Osgood & Co. were formed. Five years later Mr. Osgood retired from the firm of James R. Osgood & Co., which then became Ticknor & Co., and formed a business connection with Harper & Bros., taking the London agency for their publications. A year or so ago he established the London firm of Osgood, McIlvaine & Co., carrying on a publishing business as well as continuing the Harper agency. Mr. Osgood was never married. He has visited America several times since the establishment of his London business. His last visit was made early this spring, and he returned to London on March 23. He had been in poor health for some time and his death was not unexpected. Mr. Osgood's mother is living in Boston, where his two unmarried sisters also reside. One of them, Kate Putnam Osgood, is well known as a writer. His brother, Edward L. Osgood, lives at Hopedale, Mass. Few men in the trade enjoyed greater popularity among authors in this country and abroad. Indeed his genial, warm-hearted, generous nature made him a friend to all with whom he came into contact.

COMMUNICATIONS.

THE SELF-PROTECTION CONTRACT.

CHICAGO, April 30, 1892.

To the Editor of The Publishers' Weekly:

DEAR SIR: I would like to submit the enclosed contract to the book-dealers throughout the country. As the dry-goods houses are cutting the prices so, I think that something of this kind is necessary for our protection. The self-protection

contract can be used for purchasing any article, and if the publisher or manufacturer refuses to sign it do not buy his goods. This in my mind is the only salvation for the book-trade against the dry-goods houses. Yours truly,

G. E. WILSON.

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GENTLEMEN:

Please fill out accompanying contract, as order enclosed is subject to the same.

Yours very truly,

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THE SELF-PROTECTION CONTRACT.

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..... the undersigned, hereby agree to take back from and pay to..... an advance price of twenty per cent. for the goods bought from..... on.....189, providing said goods are found for sale at any time, in any dry goods house, or any business whatsoever at retail, for less than twenty per cent. more than..... have sold the same to you.

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NOTE.—This contract is for the protection of our business against those who insist on ruining the trade for their own gain.

NOTES ON AUTHORS.

WILLIAM BLACK is at work on a new novel to be entitled "Wolfenberg."

THOMAS HARDY has under way a new novel—"The Pursuit of the Well Beloved."

MISS BRADDON is engaged on a story called "The Venetians, or, all in honor."

MRS. ROSE HARTWICK THORPE, who wrote "Curfew Shall Not Ring To-Night," is living in California, and busy on a history of Oregon.

WILLIAM WATSON has compiled an anthology of English love poetry for publication in the *Golden Treasury Series*. His title, borrowed from Browning, is "Lyric Love."

ALBERT P. SOUTHWICK is rapidly creating a reference library of his own. "Quizzism, and Its Key" is in the fifteenth edition; "Handy Helps," No. 1, in the third thousand, and "Wisps of Wit and Wisdom" has just been issued by A. Lovell & Co., of New York City. Mr. Southwick has a fourth reference work that is ready for the press.

DR. JULIUS GOEBEL, of New York City, has been appointed Associate Professor of German Literature in the Leland Stanford, Jr., University. Dr. Goebel is a native of Germany, in which country he took the doctor's degree. Coming to America, he was made Assistant Professor of German in Johns Hopkins University, which place he resigned about three years ago to take the editorship of the *Belletristisches Journal*, a German literary weekly published in New York City. Dr. Goebel is an excellent writer and an eloquent speaker both in German and English, and has some little standing as a philologist, being a frequent contributor to *Modern English Notes* and other publications.

LITERARY AND TRADE NOTES.

W. B. CLARKE & Co., Boston, have issued a second and revised edition of the memoir of Rev. Rufus Ellis.

G. MERCER ADAM, formerly manager for Lovell & Wesson, is to take charge of the retail department of the United States Book Company.

The original manuscript of the "Book of Mormon," it is claimed, is now in one of the banks at Richmond, Ray County, Mo., in custody of J. D. Whitner.

PRICE-MCGILL COMPANY, St. Paul, Minn., have just issued "His Two Loves," by Albert Delpit, the first of a new twenty-five cent series entitled *Crescent Library*.

It is interesting to note, says *Black and White*, that Randolph, the oldest publisher in the city, is about to move to Fifth Avenue, between Dunlap, the oldest hatter, and Gunther the oldest furrier.

THE S. CARSON Co., San Francisco, Cal., will publish at once "How to Get Good Judges: a study of the judicial systems of the States, with a plan for a scientific judicial system," by John H. Wright, of the San Francisco Bar Association.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Booksellers and Stationers' Provident Association of the United States will be held on Wednesday evening, June 1, at 8 o'clock, at the salesrooms of Bangs & Co., 739 and 741 Broadway, N. Y. A full attendance is expected.

The publishers of the Cambridge *Tribune* have in press a little book, entitled "The Gossiping Guide to Harvard," which is intended to furnish a comprehensive account of the buildings belonging to Harvard and the points of interest in Cambridge, as well as some of the traditions and associations connected with them, prepared by Charles Knowles Bolton.

A CURIOUS book, the work of General T. M. Harris, of Harrisville, West Virginia, may be expected this spring. General Harris was a member of the commission that tried the conspirators accused of planning and carrying out the plot to assassinate Lincoln; and in this book, it is said, he presents proof that prominent rebels in Canada were in the conspiracy and that Jefferson Davis had knowledge of it.

JOHN MURRAY, London, has in press a treatise on "Playing-Cards of Various Ages and Countries," by Lady Charlotte Schreiber, illustrating their historical value. The work will be in two volumes, of which the first, dealing with the English and Scottish, Dutch and Flemish schools, is nearly ready. It will contain 144 plates. Lady Schreiber herself has a large collection of playing-cards, and it is of this that she writes.

At a meeting of the trustees of the Stationers' Board of Trade held at the board rooms on the 10th inst., Frank Squier, the Second Vice-President, was unanimously elected to the presidency to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of George L. Pease. Mr. Squier has been an active and enthusiastic member of the board from the start, and with a large business experience at his command he may be relied upon to keep the association to the high mark to which his predecessor has raised it.

FLEMING H. REVELL Co. have in press the series of sermons delivered during the past winter by Dr. R. S. MacArthur, of the Calvary Baptist Church of New York, which, because of the quaintness of their titles and the subjects and manner of treatment, attracted considerable attention. They will be entitled probably "Divine Balustrades and Other Sermons." The same house has recently added to the *At Home and Abroad Library* "Edward Strahan," by W. J. Dawson, paper covers, fifty cents.

A PURSUIT among Englishwomen is that of bookbinding. Many country-houses have rooms specially fitted for the purpose, where the ladies of the family exercise their industry in this direction. Miss Sarah Prideaux is one of the few professional bookbinders among women. Her place in London is well known and much sought after. There is no reason why women should not undertake this handicraft; they are now extensively employed in all bookbinderies for the less skilful parts of the work. It ought to be easy to get up higher in the art.

"THE Year-Book of Australia for 1892," published in Sydney, N. S. W., contains a brief review of Australian literature for 1891, in which the principal books issued during that year are catalogued with short descriptive notes. The catalogue is of the most unassuming dimensions, but is valuable as a record of works by Australian authors published in Australia. There are hardly fifty titles in the list, and those cover a restricted field. Many of the works are government publications; there are several treatises on social, political, sanitary and economic questions; reprints of speeches and addresses; and monographs on Australian productions and statistics. Fiction is represented by a single entry.

In view of certain incorrect statements respecting the American edition of Mr. Hardy's "Tess of the D'Urbervilles," the publishers thereof desire to explain that the story was originally published serially in the *Graphic*, of London, and *Harper's Bazar*, of New York, having been revised by the author for such publication, and that while thus appearing serially, it was set up and printed in book form by the American publishers. Afterwards Mr. Hardy made many changes in the story, and these appeared in the English edition in book form, but not in the first issue of the American edition, which had been already printed for reasons connected with the copyright. The new American edition, now on the market, has been thoroughly revised by Mr. Hardy, and is considerably expanded, according to the latest English edition.

IGNATIUS DONNELLY, author of the famous cryptogram, has been defeated in Judge Blodgett's court (Chicago), in an action with his publishers, R. S. Peale & Co. It is alleged that on the strength of an anticipated large sale Mr. Donnelly, about five years ago, secured a loan from Peale & Co. of \$4000. The book, it is claimed, was not the success that was expected, and the result was that Peale & Co. were \$4000 out. They began suit for the amount and interest, and Judge Blodgett entered judgment against Donnelly for \$5823.57. The judgment was entered on Donnelly's failure to file affidavits of merits. Mr. Donnelly's claim was that Peale & Co. could not recover, as they had already realized the amount on sales of the book, or if they had not it was because they had failed to push the sale of the publication.

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St. Nicholas, Jan., March, 1880.

THE ALBANY NEWS CO., 508 B'WAY, ALBANY, N. Y.
The Divine Problem, a Unique Theory of Universal Being and Its Evolutions, by E. W. McComas. John W. Lovell, New York, 1880. 2 copies.

AM. MAG. EXCHANGE, SCHOHARIE, N. Y.
The Path of Lucifer, complete.
English Illustrated Magazine, July, 1889, to '92.
Mind, nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 7.
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AMERICAN PRESS CO., BALTIMORE, MD.
Reviewers Reviewed, by Alex. H. Stephens. N. Y., 1872.
Molière's Dramatic Works, ill., good condition.
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Biography of Ephraim McDowell, M.D.
WM. BALLANTYNE & SONS, 428 7TH ST., WASHINGTON, D. C.
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Albany, 1876.
Green's England, v. 2, brown cl. Harper.
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 Cavaliers of Virginia, by W. A. Caruthers.
 Horseshoe Robinson, by Kenedy.
 The True Figure and Dimensions of the Earth. Lond., 1862.
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 American Wild-Fowl Shooting, J. L. Long.
 Shooter's Manual. 1827.
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 Philates, On Ceylon.
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- BRENTANO'S, 204 WABASH AVE., CHICAGO, ILL. [Cash.]
 Historia de la Colonie Française en Canada, Abbé Fillion, 3 v.
 Gallinée Journal entitled Recit de ce qui s'est passé de plus remarquable dans le voyage de MM. Dollier et Gallinée, pub. in 1875 by the Société Historique, of Montreal, with notes by Abbé Veneau or Venault.
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 Colonial New York, by Geo. W. Schuyler, v. 2.
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
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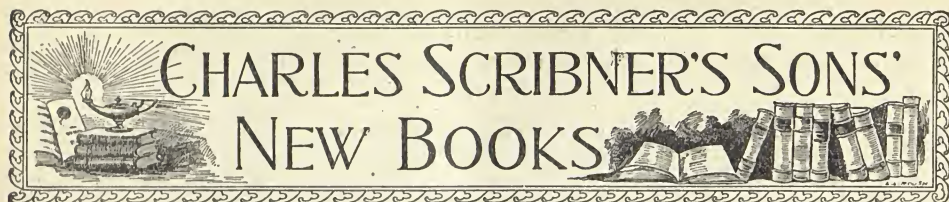
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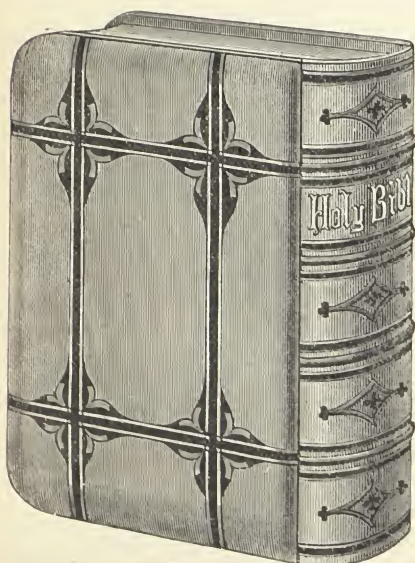
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